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In re Application of:

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Oxide Particles

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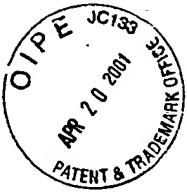
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Respectfully submitted,

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Dear Sir:

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Please note that the inventors' addresses are incorrect and should read as  
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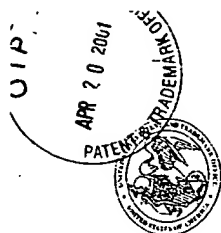
It is respectfully requested that new Filing Receipt be issued with the above  
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## Title

Process for producing spherical oxide particles

## Preliminary Class

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